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PRICE 2 CTS.

MEDICINAL.



Death's face is not a pleasant thing to see upon the face of a man and woman, but it is a thing that is seen every day in the faces of the sick. The dull eyes, the sunken cheeks, the wasted form, all tell the story of the insidious advances of that implacable foe—the disease. Doctors have declared that consumption is incurable. It is not. Thousands of consumptives have testified to complete recovery after they were given up by the doctors and all hope was lost. It is simply a matter of going to the right doctor, the one who is not afraid of the trouble which is imperfectly understood by the general public.

The Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is this. It corrects all disorders of the system. It invigorates the liver. It makes the blood pure. It fills the system with the elements that build new healthy tissue in every organ of the body. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It restores the system to its normal condition. It is the cure for all cases of consumption. All good druggists sell it.

Dr. Gold's, Esq., of No. 313 & J. Street, Tacoma, Washington, writes: "I was taken ill in 1882 with headache and pain in my back. I called in a doctor and he came three times. He said I was dying. I kept getting worse. I took a cough medicine. My lungs hurt me, and I got so poor that I was skin and bone. I thought I was going to die. I then got the 'Golden Medical Discovery' recommended for a cough. I tried a bottle of it and it did me so much good that I tried another one and it made me well. I now recommend it to everybody. It saved my life."

A headache is a symptom of constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, promptly and permanently. They do not gripe. Druggists sell them.

CARBONA
THE NEW CLEANING
NON-INFLAMMABLE.
REMOVES GREASE and DIRT
from
SILK, WOOL and COTTON
without injury to the most delicate fabric or color
and without the use of water.
Cleans Kid Gloves.
Sold by Druggists and Grocers.
Made by
MARSHALL CHEMICAL CO., MARSHALL, VA.

Tetter, Salt-Rheum and Eczema.
The intense itching and smarting, incident to these diseases, is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Balm and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic sore eyes. 25 cts. per box.

Dr. Cady's Condition Powders, are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. They are not food but medicine and the best in use to put a horse in prime condition. Price 25 cents per package.

HERBERT BRYANT
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Manufacturer of
FERTILIZERS
FINE GROUND RAW BONE (warranted strictly pure).
FINE GROUND NOVA SCOTIA LAND PLASTER.
Circulars of our regular brands mailed on application.
Special formulas skillfully and accurately prepared.
Also dealers in AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS and MACHINERY, GARDEN, FIELD and GRASS SEEDS.
Fertilizer factory and wharf foot Duke st. Agricultural and seed warehouse 117 King st.
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NEW IMPORTED SUITINGS
TO ORDER \$15.
That's my opening offer. Beautiful goods. The newest and noblest that have come from the other side of the world. Mind, no common cotton whatever with the garments ordinarily turned out at anywhere near these prices. I start this season with even a bigger stock and better facilities than ever before. I shall continue to give the same care and skill to the cutting and fitting, and will, as heretofore, guarantee the best fit this side of New York, without regard to price.

ROBT. T. GRIMES,
HOME TAILOR.
322 King Street, - - - Alexandria, Va.
Jan 14

JNO. P. ROBINSON, GEO. S. FRENCH,
President. Secretary.
Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Fertilizers, Fertilizer Materials and
Blue Windsor Ground Plaster,
PRINCESS STREET, BETWEEN UNION
AND LEE,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Jan 14

BALLARDVALE LITHIA WATER,
The strongest Lithia Water in the market. Cures Rheumatism, Gout, Dropsy, Diabets, Bright's Disease, Gravel and all diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder. Price 50 cents a bottle. \$5 a case. For sale by
E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.
A book of testimonials furnished on application.

CASTLE SOAP and Turkish Bath Cloth. This soap is made from pure Olive Oil pressed from prime fresh olives, retaining the natural color of the fruit. Price 10c.
E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

CHERRY COUGH CURE—Purely Vegetable. It contains no morphine or other dangerous chemicals commonly used in cough syrup. Price 25c.
E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

MAXIMUM, Minimum, Clinical, Standard Dairy and Brewen's Thermometers, Hydrometers, Anemometers, Barometers, &c., for sale by
E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in this paper as advertisements.

The GAZETTE office is connected with the Telephone Exchanges. Advertisements, orders for the paper, news or any information or business can be sent by telephone.

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LETTER FROM FAIRFAX.

[Special Correspondence Alexandria Gazette.]
BUSH HILL, July 1.—A young gentleman not long since called upon a lady friend and during the conversation that ensued, while she was engaged on a piece of fancy work, held up her right hand saying, "See, Walter, look at my thumb, it is very much worn; don't you think I need a new one?" "Yes, Miss Mamie, I think you do." Nothing else passed in relation to this article, but on the return of the young man to his store he sent a new cap for the young lady's finger, with a preliminary note which ran in this wise: "I send you a thumb for your fingers nimbly, which I trust will fit when you try it; if it will last as long and be as strong as the hint you gave me to buy it."

Miss Virginia G. Reynolds, of Philadelphia, is now at the pleasant home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gardner for the summer. This fall she will attend the Normal School in the city named. This young lady graduated in the High School in Philadelphia the 16th of last month in a large class. She is a daughter of Rev. F. H. Reynolds.

The waiting shed at Seminary, on the Southern Railway, which was blown to pieces by the cyclone last spring, has been replaced by a more substantial one, which is nicely painted and presents a neat appearance.

Rev. H. F. Klosson, the popular young rector of Pohick and Olivet Episcopal Churches, in order to recuperate his health, will take a much needed rest for some weeks, and his appointment at the church will be filled by some one from the Theological Seminary.

A number of young gentlemen calling themselves the "Hoe Handle Club," near Pohick, gave, this week, a very enjoyable entertainment at Hearst Hall, much to the delight of those who were present.

We hasten to extend our sincere and most hearty congratulations to two young people well and favorably known in this county who yielded to Cupid's darts by uniting their destinies to each other in being married one week ago. We refer with special pleasure to Mr. Jno. H. Moore and Miss Mattie Pickett. The following original acoustic is here appended:

May no rude storms of sorrow blow
O'er their young lives here below.
On life's stream may they gently glide
Reach Heaven at last, and by their side
Each friend of their sweet converse hold.

A BIMETALLIC DEVELOPMENT.—A dispatch from London says: The National Review announces an important bimetallic development at the hands of the United States monetary commission. The commission, according to the Review, will present a joint statement from France and the United States declaring their "desire to terminate the disastrous experiments inaugurated in 1873 and claiming our good will and active concurrence." The Review adds:

"England's reply will be that the government is willing to open the Indian mints, to make a further substantial contribution to the rehabilitation of silver by extending its use in England, by increasing the legal tender of silver, making silver the basis of notes, empowering the Bank of England to use its silver reserve and that material assistance and strong moral support will be given to the object the United States and France have in view."

A Valuable Prescription.
Editor Morrison of the Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Get a Bottle at E. L. Allen's Drug Store.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is a perfect Malarial Liver Tonic and Blood Purifier. Removes Biliousness without purging. As pleasant as Lemon Syrup. It is as large as any dollar tonic and retails for 50 cents. To get the GENUINE ask for GROVE'S.

For Over Fifty Years.
An Old and Well-Tried Remedy.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Is pleasant to the taste. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.
ALEXANDRIA, VA., June 26, 1897.
The semi-annual dividend of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. will be paid to the stockholders on and after JULY 1ST.
J. C. MILBURN, Cashier.

FURNITURE.

THE FURNITURE HOUSE
COR. KING & ST. ASAPH STS

FREE ICE!

To prove that our REFRIGERATORS consume less ice and have a first class cold air circulator, we will give away free sufficient ice to supply your refrigerator for two weeks. It will be furnished daily by Wm. M. Reardon (red wagons).

All purchasers of refrigerators for thirty days will be entitled to the above offer. Get a ZERO or BALDWIN and you will get a first class refrigerator.

ICE CHESTS from \$3 up.
REFRIGERATORS from \$6.50 up.

M. Ruben and Sons,

601 KING STREET.

BUILDING MATERIAL.

[ESTABLISHED 1822.]
JOSHUA H. D. SMOOT

DEALER IN

LUMBER,

Shingles, Laths, Nails, Cement, Calced Plaster, &c.

MATERIALS FOR
FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS,
FRAMES, MOULDINGS, MANTELS,
BALUSTERS, FLOORING, RUSTIC SIDING, DRESSED BOARDS, &c. SQUARE TURNED WORK A SPECIALTY. Special attention given to Church, Store, Office and Porch Work. All communications from the country promptly answered, and all orders promptly filled. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

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S. E. Cor Royal and Wilkes street,
Alexandria, Va.

New Sash, Door and Frame Factory,

Now in Full Operation.

PRACTICAL AND EXPERIENCED MECHANICS RUN IT.

If you don't know what you want we can tell you. We will keep in stock and meet competition on the following goods: viz:

FRAMES, SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, BRACKETS, MOULDINGS, MANTELS, NEWELS, BALUSTERS, FLOORING, RUSTIC SIDING, DRESSED BOARDS, &c. SQUARE TURNED WORK A SPECIALTY. Special attention given to Church, Store, Office and Porch Work. All communications from the country promptly answered, and all orders promptly filled. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

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Alexandria, Va.

STEAM FLOORING & PLANING MILL,

Manufacturers of
WOOD AND WINDOW FRAMES, MOULDINGS, &c.

DEALERS IN LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME,
CALCEDED PLASTER and CEMENT.
No. 25 north Union street,
Alexandria, Va.
Lumber delivered free in the city.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—The undersigned having qualified as administrator c. t. a. of the estate of JOSEPH YOUNG, deceased, all persons who are indebted to the estate are hereby notified to pay the same to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate will present the same properly certified for payment.

je29 30t WM. H. SMITH, City Sgrt.

NOTICE.—The undersigned having qualified as administrator c. t. a. of the estate of MARY ANNE MARKHAM, deceased, all persons who are indebted to the estate are hereby notified to pay the same to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate will present the same properly certified for payment.

je29 30t WM. H. SMITH, City Sgrt.

BRICK MANUFACTURERS.

PARK AGNEW, M. R. HARLOW,
President. Secretary and Treasurer.

Alexandria Brick Co.,

Manufacturers of and Dealers in all kinds of MACHINE AND HAND-MADE

BRICKS.

OFFICE 107 SOUTH ROYAL ST.,
Alexandria, Virginia.

A. C. SLAYMAKER,

SUCCESSOR TO

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

Domestic Dry Goods,

Notions and

Furnishing Goods.

We give nothing but the best at the prices.

Protection Guaranteed.

Give us a call.

429 King Street.

B. H. JENKINS,

S. W. Cor. Duke and Fairfax Streets,
Has everything needed in the line of CHOICE GROCERIES, MEATS, VEGETABLES, FRUITS, &c. Every article sold gives satisfaction from the fact that nothing but the choicest varieties are kept in stock.

His SAUSAGES and PUDDINGS are unequalled, as are also the

SMOKED MEATS

his own curing.

EARLY YORK CABBAGE, the first of the season, just received.

EXTRA PRIME ELGIN BUTTER 25 cts.

SHORT ENDS UNBLEACHED COTTON, very heavy, 1 yard wide, at

A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

5000 POUNDS OF GRANULATED SUGAR received to-day and for sale at

J. C. MILBURN.

BOYLESS SCOTCH HERRING for sale

J. C. MILBURN.

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Collector of City Taxes.

DRY GOODS.

12 Rousing Bargains

—FOR—

This Week's Sale.

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500 yards solid color, very fine and Sheer Organdies; colors black, navy, red, Nile, light blue, etc. Positive 15c value.

At 5c per yard.

25 new pieces Figured Organdy Lawns in beautiful patterns. 12½c value. At 7½c.

500 yards real Scotch Figured Lappets. Worth 18c.

We've got them at 5c.

100 Ladies' Shirt Waists with laundered detachable collars at 25c.

100 pieces all Silk Taffeta and Moire Ribbons, Nos. 40 and 60. Guaranteed all silk; worth 25c to 39c. At 16c per yard.

No. 40 Moire Ribbons. All colors. At 9c.

1,000 yards 40-inch India Linen; worth 12½c. At 6½c.

Remnants of Bleached Table Linen, 60 inches wide; worth 60c; at 39c per yard.

Swiss and Hamburg Embroideries, 3 to 9 inches wide; values ranging from 19c to 25c; at 12½c.

Oriental Laces, white and butter colors; widths 5 to 12 inches; prices were 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c; to close at 12½c per yard.

\$1, \$1.25 and \$2 American Lady Corsets for 69c a pair.

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D. Bendheim & Sons,

316 King Street.

ICE CREAM.

BREngle,

NO. 531 KING STREET.

Still supplies the best and nicest ICE CREAM of all flavors. Keeps on hand

PIES, CAKES AND GENERAL CONFECTIONERY, and caters for families and entertainments.

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D. HARRY APPICH,

525 King Street,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

CONFECTIONER AND FRUIT DEALER

As the seasons come and go

Provident of all,

Plenty of fruits, and jellies, and sweets,

I have at your call.

Candies, cakes throughout the year,

Harry Appich's stock will make good cheer

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR THE COUNTRY TRADE.

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OFFICIAL.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

Gas consumers will please take notice that THURSDAY next, the first day of July is the last day for discount on gas bills for quarter ending June 1st, 1897. No discount will be allowed after that day. The office will be open on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Thursday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., dinner hour included.

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E. T. COOK, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CITY TAXPAYERS.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, June 21, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the tax bills for 1897 are now in the hands of the collector. The attention of parties interested is respectfully called to the following extract from the revenue bill of that year:

"Upon all bills paid in full by the 1st day of July, 1897, the Collector of Taxes shall allow a discount of ten per cent, and on all bills paid by the 1st day of September, 1897, he shall allow a discount of five per cent, and on all bills not paid on the 1st day of December, 1897, there shall be assessed and collected a penalty of five per cent, upon the amount of said bills, and on all bills remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January, 1898, damages at the rate of six per centum per annum shall be paid."

Taxpayers would do well to call and pay at once in order to avoid the rush and crowd usually present on the last days in which the discount is allowed. Bring a list to make sure you get bills for all your property, as the collector will not be responsible, or allow the discount after the time fixed by law.

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Collector of City Taxes.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

RED-HOT BARGAINS

—IN—

SUMMER

FOOTWEAR.

Ladies' Cotton Slippers for house wear 25 cts.

Ladies' Oxford Ties, dark tan. Worth \$2. Our price \$1.25.

Ladies' Oxfords from 50 cts to \$3. All the new ideas.

GENTS:

We have the pick of the mark for you. All the new shapes and colors. Vici Kid, Kangaroo or Calf, and the price elsewhere is \$4 for this class of goods. We call it \$3.

DO YOU RIDE A BIKE?

IF YOU WANT TO BE UP TO DATE

See our ELK SOLE TAN L. A. W. SHOE, and say, we charge you only \$3 for a pair of these shoes.

J.A. Marshall and Bro.

422 KING STREET

Leaders in Up-to-Date Footwear.

GROCERIES.

4 lbs. Fresh Florida

Tomatoes, 25c.

2 doz. Strictly Fresh

Eggs, 25c.

2 lbs. Full Cream

Cheese, 25c.

The very Best Creamery Butter, 20c per lb. Choice Lard, 15c per lb. Good Butter, 12½c per lb. Arbuckle's Coffee, 12½c per lb. Fresh Roasted Rio Coffee, 12c per lb. Best Corn Starch, 3½c per package. 3 packages for 10c.

Best Macaroni, 6c per package. Large California Prunes, 5c per lb. Sun-Dried Apples, 3c per lb. Quaker Bollet Oats, 2½c per lb. Fine Table Salt, 2 bags for 5c. Canned Peaches—three cans Fine Table Peaches 25c.

1 dozen Large Boxes of Matches (200 in a box) 10c.

Golden Drip Syrup, 20c per gallon.

W. P. Woolls & Son

TOBACCO AND CIGARS.

INCREASING IN MERIT.

Tariff or no tariff, our patrons are assured that the high standard of their favorite will be maintained. We have just received a lot of the finest tobacco ever seen in this section which will be used in the manufacture of our famous

PLANTATION CIGARS.

We won't furnish you with a label with the alphabet turning flip flaps all over it, but we are as high when it comes to the contents of the box.

EVERY CIGAR

BRANDED

HAMILTON & CO.,

323 KING STREET.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR RENT.

The comfortable FRAME RESIDENCE on the east side of St. Asaph street, between Cameron and Queen streets. All modern conveniences. Apply at this office.

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FOR RENT OR LEASE.

THE BUILDING on the northeast corner of King and Union streets, the best stand in the city for a grocery. Possession given on the first of May. Apply at this office.

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FOR RENT.

SIX ACRES OF LAND at Lochaber, just north of the city limits. Good place for a profitable market garden. Apply at this office.

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Dr. T. B. Cochran,

Dentist.

OFFICE HOURS: 724 KING STREET, 8 to 1 and 2 to 6. Alexandria, Va.

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DUCK SUITINGS, latest styles, at

A. C. SLAYMAKER'S